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IN RE APPLICATION OF

Art Unit: 1623

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APPLICATION NO: 10/712,823

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FOR: TRIGLYCERIDE AND TRIGLYCERIDE-LIKE PRODRUGS OF  
GLYCOGEN PHOSPHORYLASE INHIBITING COMPOUNDS

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

The Office Action of April 5, 2005 has a shortened statutory time set to expire on May 5, 2005. A four-month extension is hereby requested pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a).

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-3880 in the name of Bristol-Myers Squibb Company in the amount of \$1,590 for payment of the extension fee. An additional copy of this paper is here enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR §1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 19-3880 in the name of Bristol-Myers Squibb Company.

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